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This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

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1 Claim 1 (original): Portable surface treating appartus comprising a shaft part (12) with a handle part

(13a0 by means of which the apparatus can be guided on the surface to be cleaned and a frame structure

(22) having several rolls (29, 31) about which an endless conveyor belt (27) for liquid and dirt particles

is arranged characterized in that a portion of the belt between the rolls (29, 21) abuts the surface and is

placed such that it is mainly parallel to the surface the apparatus being provided with a scratching means

(41) abutting the conveyor belt (27) and removing liquid and dirt particles from the belt.

Claim 2 (original): Apparatus according to claim 1 characterized in that the frame structure comprises

a mainly flat wall portion (26) that the conveyor belt (27) abuts and that is mainly parallel to the surface.

Claim 3 (currently amended): Apparatus according to any of the preceding claims claim 1 characterized

in that the frame structure is box shaped and encloses an electric motor (36) with a drive shaft (37) that

by means of a gear transmits the driving motion of the drive shaft to at least one of the rolls (31).

1 Claim 4 (currently amended): Apparatus according to any of the preceding claims claim 1 characterized

in that the frame structure supports a removable container part (39) in which liquid and dirt particles are

collected.

Claim 5 (currently amended): Apparatus according to any of the preceding claims claim 1 characterized

in that the frame structure (22) supports a rocker arm (52) that is provided with an eccentrically supported

roll (54) that is pressed against and rotates by means of the conveyor belt (27) the rocker arm being

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- 4 connected to and driving a pump (45).
- 1 Claim 6 (original): Apparatus according to claim 5 characterized in that the pump (45) is a membrane
- 2 pump that is integrated with a pump housing that is placed in the container part (44) the pump housing
- being provided with a liquid inlet (46) and a liquid outlet to which a check valve (47) is connected.
- 1 Claim 7 (original): Apparatus according to claim 6 characterized in that a filter (51) is placed
- 2 immediately before the liquid inlet.
- 1 Claim 8 (currently amended): Apparatus according to any of the preceding claims claim 1 characterized
- 2 in that the frame structure comprises at least two parts (22a, 22b) that are turnable with respect to one
- another and that when the parts are aligned with one another constitute a track for the conveyor belt (27)
- 4 and which when the parts are angled with respect to one another admits that the conveyor belt is removed
- 5 from the track.
- 1 Claim 9 (currently amended): Apparatus according to any of the preceding claims claim 1 characterized
- 2 in that the conveyor belt comprises a support layer (27b) with an outer micro fibre layer (27a).
- 1 Claim 10 (currently amended): Apparatus according to any of the preceding claims claim 1 characterized
- 2 in that it comprises a removable container for cleaning liquid (16) and a removable collecting container
- 3 (17) for dirty liquid the container for cleaning liquid being connectable to a nozzle in order to directly
- 4 or indirectly supply a cleaning liquid to the surface.